

THE IMMIGRATION FLOOD.

Certain to Fill up the Hawaiian Hollow. Its Lesson.

EDITOR STAR:—This Hawaiian group is located just where it will soon inevitably receive a great tide of white immigration from the natural overflow of the growing states of the Pacific Coast. Not that they are beginning to be full, or will be so for a long time. California, Oregon and Washington already have a restless people, who are rapidly increasing. They are active, enterprising and largely inclined to seek new homes. This population accelerates its growth as the crowded East multiplies its lines of travel to the Pacific. There is sure soon to be a considerable overflow from the Pacific States. Some will work towards Alaska, and a strong current will naturally set towards the Hawaiian Islands. In the natural course of things, Hawaii is certain, at no distant period, to be flooded by wholesale white immigration from the Pacific Coast.

Nothing can long arrest such a movement. If it is not hastened by immediate annexation, it will certainly be precipitated by the opening of the Nicaragua canal, and the rush of trans-Pacific commerce following that event. Hawaii is like a little hollow lying near the course of an increasing flood of water. The lakes above it—the Pacific States—are fast rising to a level where some overflow will begin to come from them. When it does come, our little Hawaiian pool will fill up in a trice.

It would seem difficult for any intelligent person in Hawaii not to see that such a flood of white immigration impends over us in the near future. Hawaii has great undeveloped agricultural resources. It has also an immense commercial future, as the only and central halting place in the North Pacific. The Americans are soon going to pour in and occupy the land. It behooves all parties to look forward and act upon this probability. What then should be the course taken by every sincere friend of this weak and wasting remnant of the native Hawaiians?

It would seem to be the holdest fatuity for the natives to cherish the dream of their own sovereign rights on these islands, inevitably destined in a few years to teem with busy driving myriads of white men. It seems anything but friendship to encourage them in the sentiment of inherent right to supremacy in the government. If they do not yet see that to be a lost cause, it is time that every friend of theirs was at work to make them see it, and get under shelter from the coming flood. "The prudent man foreseeth the evil and hideth himself." If Hawaiians and their friends have a spark of foresight left they must see that unless they make prompt and wise arrangements their feeble remnant of thirty odd thousand natives are liable to be mercilessly trampled down under the new conditions of the flood of white immigration and ocean commerce. It therefore behooves them promptly to make the best terms possible now with the American people. The one thing for them to do is unitedly to beg admittance now to the privileges of American citizens and to betake themselves with all haste to the shelter of the American constitution. They have no time to lose.

Hardly any blinder man can be conceived than one who continues to adhere to the fallen fortunes of the monarchy of that dwindled Hawaiian race. He certainly has not "hitched his wagon to a star." Strange is the infatuation of the man who can see anything left in that decayed institution for him to tie to. There are men of intelligence who keep stirring up these poor natives with royalist hopes. I will not undertake to define their motives. They are certainly most pernicious deceivers of the people. It is simple madness for the natives to neglect the present favorable opportunity to secure the privileges of citizens of the United States. Should their opposition secure the delay of annexation—which I do not believe—their probable alternative will be the loss of such privilege when the inevitable flood of population comes. S. E. BISHOP.

THE ISLE OF CAPRERA.

A Bone of Contention Between Garibaldi's Widow and Humbert.

The dispute now in progress between King Humbert's government and the widow of Garibaldi is attracting considerable attention throughout Italy. The point at issue between them is the possession of the Isle of Caprera, which the military authorities require for coast defense purposes, intending to erect thereon important fortifications. The War Department has, therefore, determined to expropriate the Garibaldi family, offering them a sum of 300,000 francs by way of compensation, which seems very handsome, considering the fact that the famous patriot only paid 20,000 francs for the land.

The whole family have agreed to the terms offered by the government, with the exception of the widow, who has now begun legal proceedings against the War Department. In this she is exceedingly ill-advised, for she is, without doubt, the least commendable of the three successive wives of the famous general. It may be remembered that Garibaldi was twice previously married—first to Anita, the bride of his youth and the mother of Menotti and Ricciotti, his sons; and secondly, to a lady whom he wedded shortly after his return from his visit to England.

Garibaldi left his second wife, however, almost immediately after the ceremony, in consequence of his having been placed in possession of some letters in his bride's handwriting of such a compromising character as to preclude any idea of life in common. Subsequently Garibaldi unsuccessfully applied for a divorce in order to marry his third wife and thus to legitimize his younger children. The divorce, however, of number two enabled him to legalize his union with wife number three just a short time before his death.—*New York Tribune.*

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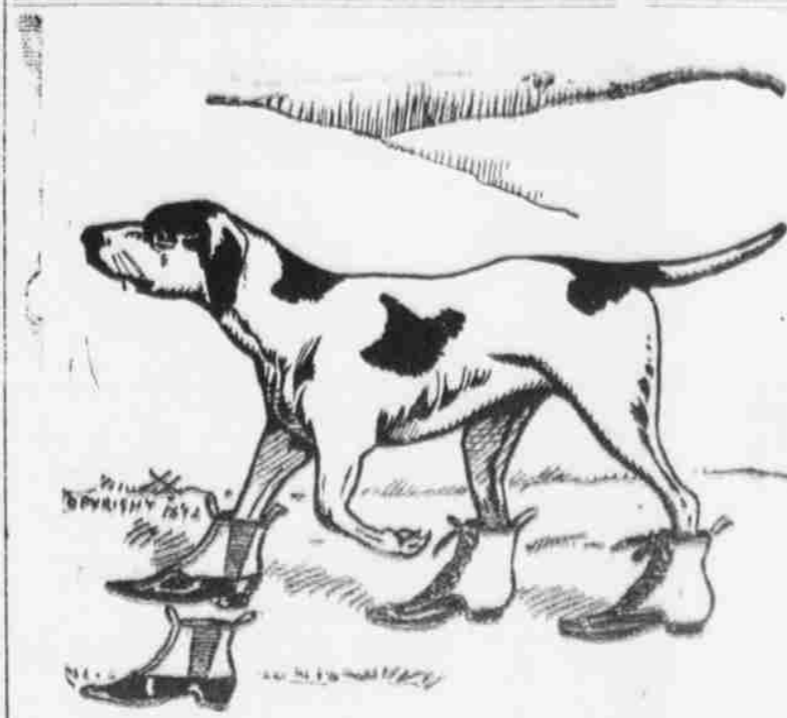
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For the Year Ending December 31, 1892.

ASSETS.	
Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$ 21,083,944 02
Real Estate, including the Equitable Buildings and purchases under foreclosure of mortgages.....	23,912,412 49
United States Stocks, State Stocks, City Stocks and other investments.....	75,084,749 48
Loans secured by Bonds and Stocks (Market value, \$7,673,700).....	5,913,300 00
Real Estate outside the State of New York, including purchases under foreclosure.....	14,122,736 70
Cash in Bank and in transit (since received and invested).....	5,554,006 66
Interest and Rents due and accrued, Deferred Premiums and other Securities.....	6,488,702 66
Total Assets, December 31, 1892.....	\$153,060,052 01

We hereby certify, that after a personal examination of the securities and accounts described in the foregoing statement, we find the same to be true and correct as stated.

THOS. D. JORDAN, Comptroller. FRANCIS W. JACKSON, Auditor.

LIABILITIES.	
Reserve on all existing Policies (4% Standard), and all other liabilities.....	\$121,870,296 52
Total Undivided Surplus (4% Standard), including Special Reserve of \$2,500,000 towards establishment of a 3 1/2 % valuation.....	31,189,815 49
	\$153,060,052 01

We certify the correctness of the above calculation of the reserve and surplus. From this surplus the usual dividends will be made.

GEO. W. PHILLIPS, J. G. VAN CISE, Actuaries.

INCOME.	
Premiums.....	\$ 34,046,588 39
Interest, Rents, etc.....	6,289,609 10
	\$40,286,237 49

DISBURSEMENTS.	
Claims by Death and Matured Endowments.....	\$ 10,859,373 04
Dividends, Surrender Values, Annuities and Discounted Endowments.....	5,675,074 94
Total Paid Policy-Holders.....	\$ 16,534,447 98

Commissions, Advertising, Postage and Exchange.....	4,083,478 35
General Expenses, State, County and City Taxes.....	3,544,021 01
	\$ 24,161,947 34

New Assurance written in 1892.....	\$200,490,316 00
Total Outstanding Assurance.....	\$50,962,245 00

We, the undersigned, have, in person, carefully examined the accounts, and counted and examined in detail the assets of the Society, and certify that the foregoing statement thereof is correct.

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